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In re application of: Richard FOLTAK and Edward GROENENDAAL

Serial No. 09/587,164

Examiner: Hector A. AGDEPPA

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Group Art Unit: 2642

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Responsive to the Office Action dated December 2, 2004, enclosed is an amendment in the above-identified application. The fee has been calculated as shown below.

| <u>CLAIMS AS AMENDED</u> | | | | | |
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| For: | Number After Amendment | Previous Number | Extra | Rate | Additional Fee |
| Total Claims | 40 | 41 | 0 | x \$50 = | \$0 |
| Independent Claims | 7 | 7 | 0 | x \$200 = | \$0 |
| Extension of Time - 1 st | | | | | \$120 |
| TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT | | | | | \$120 |

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- ☒ Applicant petitions the Commissioner to extend the time for response. The extension fee is included and a duplicate copy of this form is enclosed.
- ☒ PTO Form 2038 authorizing credit card payment for the above-listed fees is enclosed.
- ☒ Any deficiency or overpayment should be charged or credited to deposit account number 13-1703.

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AMENDMENT

Responsive to the Office Action, dated December 2, 2004, for which a one-month extension of time is requested, please amend the application as follows.

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

REMARKS/ARGUMENTS begin on page 11 of this paper.

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